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TO: CHR Records Room
FROM: A. M. Brues, M.D.
SUBJECT: (40-003)

About two weeks following my May 21 visit to [redacted] and his physician, Dewey H. Roberts, D.O., I telephoned Dr. Roberts to acknowledge his courtesy and to remind him that Dr. Weyzen and I had asked that he inform [redacted] of the fact that he had received a plutonium injection at the time of his 1947 operation. Dr. Roberts said that as a matter of fact, [redacted] had dropped in to see him the day before and that he had told him this; that [redacted] seemed interested but unmoved by this information. I then told the doctor that I needed a note from him stating these facts; he said he would do so right away, and checked the spelling of my name and of plutonium. The note has never been delivered to me.

Today I received a note from Dr. Roberts, apparently in conformity with a request routinely made in our letter accompanying a patient's record — the note was addressed to myself and Walter Weyzen, M.D. at this address — reading as follows:

"Dr. -

Our patient [redacted] came in this AM
complaining of blood in his morning stool.

D. H. Roberts, D.O.
Drawer 309
Milford, Texas
76670"

The Rochester record indicates that he had a history of bleeding from the rectum; that sigmoidoscopy and barium enema were negative as was a test for occult blood, and that he had hemorrhoids that were considered the source of the blood noted by him previously.

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